

MARY J. MADDUX.

[To accompany Bill H. R. No 394.]

MARCH 19, 1860.

Mr. F. W. KELLOGG, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, made the following

REPORT.

*The Committee on Invalid Pensions to whom was referred the petition of Mary J. Maddux, of Bardstown, Kentucky, praying that Congress will have her name inscribed on the pension roll, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to submit the following report:*

It appears from the papers accompanying the memorial that Mary J. Maddux is the widow of Edward C. Maddux, who was a lieutenant in the volunteers from the State of Missouri, in the Florida war, and afterwards served as private in Captain Hardin's company of the 4th Kentucky volunteers, in the war with Mexico; that while engaged in such service his health became permanently impaired, and continued so until the time of his death, which occurred in Bardstown, Kentucky, May 21, 1858; that the name of the deceased was inscribed on the pension roll, at the rate of eight dollars per month, on the 18th day of July, 1851, and that he continued to draw his pension up to the time of his death.

It further appears that he died in indigent circumstances, leaving the petitioner and a daughter unprovided for.

It further appears that mother and daughter are in feeble health, and unable to do anything whatever to obtain a living; your committee believe the case one of the most distressing character, and therefore recommend that a pension of eight dollars per month be granted to the petitioner, the same to commence at the date of her husband's death.

